


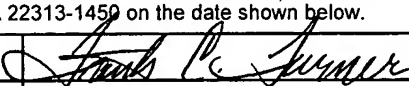
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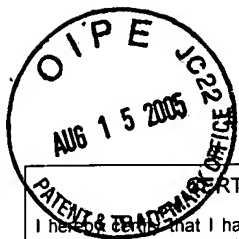
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STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

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Introductory Comments

This is responsive to the Interview Summary mailed July 13, 2005. This Statement of the Substance of the Interview ("Statement") is believed to be timely filed and that no fees are due. In the event the Office determines that fees are due to continue the prosecution of the captioned application, the Office is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Deposit Account No. 03-1620 referencing Attorney Docket No. 00044.

R E M A R K S

This Statement is responsive to the Interview Summary that was mailed July 13, 2005 (hereinafter "Interview Summary"). Applicants replied to the last Office Action in the Amendment mailed July 21, 2005; however, no statement concerning the substance of the interview was included with that Amendment.

The Interview Summary appears to be complete and in compliance with M.P.E.P. §713.04 and 37 C.F.R. §1.133 and is incorporated herein by reference. Applicants believe that the portion of the Interview Summary that describes the substance of the interview is correct with the following clarification. Applicants believe that the Interview Summary should make clear that the "proposed amendment" noted in the first sentence as overcoming the rejection of record is not the "proposed amendment" that is mentioned in the second sentence.

Applicants believe that the second sentence should be worded to the effect that:

The applicant should also consider Fig. 3 of Clawson et al. if considering amending the current claims to recite that said heat exchanger is embedded in the catalyst of one of the reaction zones.

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Statement Of The Substance Of The Interview
August 11, 2005

Applicants believe that this Statement is in compliance with M.P.E.P. §713.04 and 37 C.F.R. §1.133. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Statement is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Frank C. Turner", is written over a horizontal line.

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